



# ATC Military and Vocational Prep

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## In 2020, ATC Military Prep School merged with NZSE.

ATC was established in 1991 in Kaikohe, Northland to deliver free military-oriented programmes for youth between 16-19 years old. The programme was so successful and so widely regarded by the community that it expanded by opening campuses in Auckland and the Waikato.

Focused on empowering our mātātahi with discipline, knowledge and the soft skills to succeed, the programme builds student confidence and allows them to become career-successful role models within their communities.

Our programmes provide an exciting, safe and supportive learning environment and are designed to provide students with recognised qualifications and clear pathways to the New Zealand Defence Forces, Police and other services, along with other sectors of employment, or higher level study.

Each year new students flourish in the atmosphere of a military-styled education system, achieving academic, physical, and vocational heights they never thought possible.



Travel allowance  
and  
training uniforms

Structure and  
discipline,  
physical fitness,  
academic support

Zero-fee\*  
programmes for  
16 - 19 year olds

\*Youth Guarantee  
criteria applies



## ATC Military and Vocational Prep

Ready for a new direction? But not quite sure where to start?

We can help you gain your NCEA levels, develop more confidence and get fit with clear pathways to careers in the defence force, related trades or a variety of other sectors. Make new friends and make something of yourself with our Level 1 Fitness, Level 2 Military Prep or Level 3 Pre-Deployment Training Programmes. NZSE has intakes all year.

We operate campuses in New Lynn, Manukau and Hamilton and equip recruits with the tools to be successful in life and in any career they choose. We are proud to produce fit, disciplined and well trained recruits who become young men and women that are active, contributing members of our communities.

# ATC Military Prep

## New Zealand Certificate in Fitness and Recreation (Level 1)

**Duration** 20 weeks  
**Campus** West Auckland, South Auckland, Hamilton  
**Credits** 60 credits

This programme provides learners with knowledge and skills in fitness and recreation and basic lifestyle skills for community living. It will provide part of an education and training pathway for students wishing to enter the New Zealand Defence Force, employment or further education.

### Entry Requirements

- Open to students who are 16 - 19 years of age\*

### What Will I Learn?

- Fitness and Well-being
- Personal and Career Goals
- Community and Culture
- Low and High Ropes and Confidence Course Activities
- Identify and Describe a Maori View of the Natural World
- Day Tramps and Excursions

### What's Next?

#### Study Further

- Vocational Pathways Social and Community Services (Level 2)
- Vocational Pathways in Service and Creative Industries - Retail (Level 2)

#### Get Employed

- Entry level jobs in a variety of areas

\*Conditions apply - go to our website or get in contact with us to discuss



# ATC Military Prep

## Vocational Pathways in Social and Community Services (Level 2)

<b>Duration</b>	25 weeks
<b>Campus</b>	West Auckland, South Auckland, Hamilton
<b>Credits</b>	82 credits

Our fully funded military-style education programme covers units in literacy, numeracy community skills, Defence Force studies, team building, fitness, communications and more. Vocational pathways enable the learner to achieve NCEA Level 2 and develop pathways that progress to further study, training and employment.

### Entry Requirements

- Open to students who are 16 - 19 years of age\*

### What Will I Learn?

- New Zealand Cadet Forces
- Digital Based Communicating Tools and Skills within an Organisation
- Time Management, Teamwork and Co-operation
- Support Services and Resources within the Community
- Basic Mathematics
- Sea Navigation Techniques and Information Retrieval
- Survival Techniques for a Civil Defence Emergency
- Firearms Use and Safety
- Foot Drills in the New Zealand Cadet Forces

### What's Next?

#### Study Further

- NZ Certificate in Security (Level 3)

#### Get Employed

- New Zealand Defence Force (NZDF)
- Police, Fire, related trades or service areas
- Fitness industry
- Employment across a range of sectors

\*Conditions apply - go to our website or get in contact with us to discuss



**“My tutors motivated me, they were always there to help me, they offer different options if you get stuck and it’s helped pave a way for my future.”**

**Nataliyah Brampton**  
Military Prep Graduate  
2018



**ANNUAL TOUCH TOURNAMENT**

**SHOOTING RANGE**



**TERMINATOR CHALLENGE**

**OBSTACLE COURSES**



**DRILLS AND HAKA CHALLENGE**

## Vocational Pathways Service and Creative Industries - Retail (Level 2)

<b>Duration</b>	25 weeks
<b>Campus</b>	West Auckland
<b>Credits</b>	60 credits

Gain basic skills to help you in the Retail and Business industry. This programme is targeted at students wanting the entry level skills and knowledge required to go directly into work and/or further training in the Retail or similar industries.

### Entry Requirements

- Open to students who are 16 - 19 years of age
- Must have left Secondary School at least 6 months prior to applying

### What Will I Learn?

- Problem Solving and Communication
- Basic Computing Skills
- Core Work and Life Skills
- Develop Goal Setting and Study Strategies
- Work Practices in the Retail Environment
- Customer Service in the Retail Sector

### What's Next?

#### Study Further

- NZ Certificate in Business Administration and Technology (Level 3)
- NZ Certificate in Foundation Skills (Level 3)

#### Get Employed

- Entry role jobs within business and retail sectors

Conditions apply - go to our website or get in contact with us to discuss

## New Zealand Certificate in Security (Level 3)

<b>Duration</b>	16 weeks
<b>Campus</b>	West/South Auckland, Hamilton
<b>Credits</b>	60 credits

Learn new skills and knowledge on how to help keep our communities safe with our New Zealand Certificate in Security programme. Gain knowledge to operate electronic security equipment, be able to identify potential harm and train in the responses required in security situations. You'll also get the chance to experience the security services industry with our embedded work placement.

### Entry Requirements

- 18 - 25 years - Daytime course\*
- 25+ years - Evening course\*

### What Will I Learn?

- Security Industry Fundamentals
- Health and Safety in the Security Industry
- Emergency Basics for Security Personnel
- Working in the Security Industry

### What's Next?

#### Study Further

- Any NZSE programme at Level 4 and above - Contact our Course Advisors for more information

#### Get Employed

- New Zealand Security Industry (Must be issued a Certificate of Approval by the Ministry of Justice)
- New Zealand Defence Force (NZDF)
- Police, Fire, related trades or service areas
- Employment across a range of sectors

\*Course delivery times are flexible, speak with your Course Advisor for more information



This course will allow you to achieve a Ministry of Justice security 'Certificate of Approval' (CoA). Applicants must be aged 18 or over and have no criminal record or have a 'clean slate'.

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